

NCI
Council of Research Advocates (NCRA)
Informed Consent in Genomics Research Working Group

Function Statement

The NCI Council of Research Advocates (NCRA) Informed Consent in Genomics Research Working Group will provide guidance (from the patient perspective) on consent-related issues in genomics studies. The working group will: elucidate issues that are common to all studies involving collection and use of genomic data; propose principles that are important in the development of genomics studies and corresponding consent documents; and, where appropriate, develop language for consent documents that can serve as a model for NCI and other institutions. The Informed Consent in Genomics Research Working Group reports to the NCI Council of Research Advocates.